

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure [[5]] 5A is a perspective view of an alternative embodiment of the instant invention illustrated secured within a vehicle door;

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 19, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure [[5C]] 5B is a partial front view of the embodiment shown in Figure [[5]] 5A illustrated with the front panel removed;

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 21, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure [[5D]] 5C is a partial perspective view of the embodiment shown in Figure [[5]] 5A;

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 16, line 2, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The instant invention provides a storage compartment adapted for insertion within and upon an interior panel of a vehicle door. With reference to Figures 1 and 2, a storage compartment 100, having a front panel member 10, a back panel member 12 and a center

panel member 14 is provided. The storage compartment 100 is constructed and arranged for mechanical engagement within and upon a surface of an interior panel 23 of a vehicle door 22. Neither the interior panel 23 ~~[[or]]~~ nor the vehicle door 22 constitute a part of the instant invention. Such mechanical engagement can be achieved by any suitable fastening means, for example a combination of brackets, screws, rivets, clips or the like, which are affixed within an interior or hidden portion of the vehicle door panel, at various points where the surfaces come together. Alternatively, it is contemplated that the storage compartment could be provided with integral attachment means, such as deformable tabs (not shown) or the like which would enable secure engagement of the storage compartment 100, upon insertion within said vehicle door panel. Placement of said storage compartment 100 within and upon said interior panel ~~[[22]]~~ 23, as illustrated, provides a storage area which is at least partially recessed within an interior portion 24 of the vehicle door. Referring to Figures 4 and 7, the construction and arrangement of the instant invention is such that it cooperates with the door window 54 to slide the storage area 100 outwardly from the interior area 24 of the door 23 during downward movement of the window and inwardly into the door cavity during upward movement of the window.